

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
WESTERN DIVISION

Christan Elisabeth Helton,

Case No. 3:13 CV 00941

Plaintiff,

O R D E R

-vs-

JUDGE JACK ZOUHARY

Carolyn W. Colvin, Acting Commissioner  
of Social Security,

Defendant.

This Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) of the Magistrate Judge filed November 25, 2013 (Doc. 14). The R&R recommends that the decision of the Commissioner should be affirmed (Doc. 19 at 19).

Under the relevant statute, 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1):

Within fourteen days after being served with a copy, any party may serve and file written objections to such proposed findings and recommendations as provided by rules of court. A judge of the court shall make a *de novo* determination of those portions of the report or specified proposed findings or recommendations to which objection is made.

The failure to file objections within the time frame set forth in the statute constitutes a waiver of *de novo* review by the district court. *See United States v. Sullivan*, 431 F.3d 976, 984 (6th Cir. 2005); *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140 (1985).

The two week deadline for filing objections passed on December 9, 2013. No objections have been filed. The R&R, which accurately states the facts and law, is adopted in its entirety. Accordingly, the Commissioner's final decision is affirmed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Jack Zouhary  
JACK ZOUHARY  
U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE

December 16, 2013